
By: **Delegate Kelly**

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Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Economic Development Corporation - Exemptions - Procurement**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing the exemption for the Maryland Economic Development
4 Corporation from certain State procurement laws; and generally relating to
5 making the Maryland Economic Development Corporation subject to the State
6 procurement laws.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
8 Article 83A - Department of Business and Economic Development
9 Section 5-214(a)
10 Annotated Code of Maryland
11 (2003 Replacement Volume)

12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
13 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

14 **Article 83A - Department of Business and Economic Development**

15 5-214.

16 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, in exercising its corporate
17 powers, the Corporation is exempt from the provisions of Articles 41 and 78A of the
18 Code; § 10-507 of the State Government Article; and Title 2, Subtitles 2, 4, and 5,
19 Titles 3 and 4, Title 6, Subtitle 1, Title 7, Subtitles 1, 2, and 3, §§ 8-127, 8-128, and
20 8-129, Part V of Title 8, Subtitle 1, and Title 10[, and Division II] of the State
21 Finance and Procurement Article, and may carry out its corporate purposes without
22 obtaining the consent of any department, board, or agency of the State.

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
24 October 1, 2004.